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In re Application of:

Gerry QUINN

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VIA EFS-WEB

Commissioner for Patent  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR AUTOMATIC EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 CFR 1.17, 1.136(a) AND 35 USC 41(a)8

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a response to the outstanding Office Action by Three (3) months. Credit card payment in the amount of \$1050.00 is submitted via EFS-WEB for the petition fee in accordance with 37 CFR 1.17 computed as:

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If this petition is inadequate to avoid abandonment, the Commissioner for Patents is petitioned, under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), to extend the time by the number of months which will avoid abandonment under 37 C.F.R. §1.135. The fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 should be charged to our Deposit Account No. 15-0700.

Respectfully submitted,



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